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AMENDMENT TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Pursuant to the Foreign Agents
Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

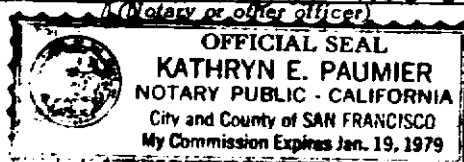
1. Name of Registrant

Ruder & Finn, Inc.

2. Registration No.

1481

3. This amendment is filed to accomplish the following indicated purpose or purposes:

☐ To correct a deficiency in☐ Initial Statement☐ Supplemental Statement
for _____☐ To give notice of change in an
exhibit previously filed.☐ To give a 10-day notice of a change in infor-
mation as required by Section 2(b) of the Act.☒ Other purpose (specify) To register Mission
Interministerielle pour l'Amangement
de la Cote Aquitaine as a client of
Ruder & Finn for a short-term project.4. If this amendment requires the filing of a document or documents, please list -
Exhibit "A"Exhibit "B"--with copies of letter of confirmation (please see p.2,
para. 3 of letter). While originally scheduled for Sept., 76, this
project will be conducted from Feb. 18 through 27, 1977.5. Each item checked above must be explained below in full detail together with, where appropriate,
specific reference to and identity of the item in the registration statement to which it pertains. If
more space is needed, full size insert sheets may be used.This document serves as notice that Ruder & Finn, Inc., will
handle a one-week project through its San Francisco office on
behalf of the Mission Interministerielle pour l'Amenagement
de la Cote Aquitaine.The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this
amendment and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their
entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief.(Both copies of this amendment shall be signed and sworn
to before a notary public or other person authorized to ad-
minister oaths by the agent, if the registrant is an individual,
or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or
persons performing similar functions who are in the United
States, if the registrant is an organization.)
R. S. GilbertChairman, Ruder & Finn of
CaliforniaSubscribed and sworn to before me at San Franciscothis 15th day of February, 19 77My commission expires Jan 19, 1979

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EXHIBIT A

TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement
and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently.

1. Name and address of registrant

2. Registration No.

Ruder & Finn, Inc.
110 E. 59th St., New York, New York 10022

1481

3. Name of foreign principal
Mission Interministerielle pour l'Amenage-
ment de la Cote Aquitaine

4. Principal address of foreign principal
Promotion International
63, Rue de Ponthieu
75008 Paris, France

5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the following type:

☒ Foreign government

☐ Foreign political party

☐ Foreign or ☐ domestic organization: If either, check one of the following:

☐ Partnership

☐ Committee

☐ Corporation

☐ Voluntary group

☐ Association

☐ Other (specify) _____

☐ Individual - State his nationality _____

6. If the foreign principal is a foreign government, state:

a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant.

The province of Aquitaine, coastal development mission

b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.

Mr. Emile J. Biasini, Minister in charge of Territory Development;
President, Mission Interministerielle pour l'Amendagement de la Cote
Aquitaine.

7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:

a) Principal address N/A

b) Name and title of official with whom the registrant deals.

c) Principal aim

8. If the foreign principal is not a foreign government or a foreign political party,

a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal

N/A

b) Is this foreign principal

Owned by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Directed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Financed by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

Subsidized in whole by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

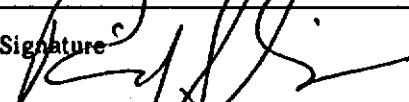
Subsidized in part by a foreign government, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes ☐ No ☐

9. Explain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 8(b). (If additional space is needed, a full insert page may be used.)

N/A

10. If the foreign principal is an organization and is not owned or controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party or other foreign principal, state who owns and controls it.

N/A

Date of Exhibit A 2/15/77	Name and Title R. S. Gilbert, Chairman	Signature 
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Ruder & Finn of California

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EXHIBIT B

TO REGISTRATION STATEMENT
Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act
of 1938, as amended

INSTRUCTIONS: A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements; or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances, by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. This form shall be filed in duplicate for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

Name of Registrant	Name of Foreign Principal
Ruder & Finn, Inc.	Mission Interministerielle pour l'Amenagement de la Cote Aquitaine.

Check Appropriate Boxes:

- ☐ The agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach two copies of the contract to this exhibit.
- ☒ There is no formal written contract between the registrant and foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach two copies of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.
- ☐ The agreement or understanding between the registrant and foreign principal is the result of neither a formal written contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete description below of the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and the expenses, if any, to be received.

- Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding.


One week project to familiarize fact-finding committee with building projects in California. Purpose of the mission is to study the feasibility of developing coastal resort areas in the French province of Aquitaine.

5. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal.

See response to question 4.

6. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act?^{1/} Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose.

Date of Exhibit B	Name and Title	Signature
Feb. 15, 1977	Richard S. Gilbert, Chairman, Ruder & Finn of California	

^{1/} Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

c. c. Harold Grotstein
Charlie Lipton
Abe Ritz
Norman Weissman
Saul Warshaw
Dick Gilbert ✓
Lucille Corrier

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RUDER & FINN

February 9, 1976

Mr. Georges Ivanoff
Promotion International
63, Rue de Ponthieu
75008 Paris, France

Dear Georges:

This letter will confirm the arrangements pursuant to the visit of Mr. Biasini to New York in March.

- o You will be arriving on Wednesday, March 24th and will be staying through March 31st.
- o I have already reserved a one-bedroom suite at the Pierre Hotel for Mr. Biasini and a deluxe single for you.
- o I have retained the services of a Carey Cadillac limousine which will be your car during your entire visit.
- o I have ordered four sets of two theatre tickets to these four shows:

The Chorus Line
Chicago
Equus
The Same Time Next Year.

- o We will be arranging business meetings as per our program outlined to you with key members of the New York segment of the American business community.

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Mr. Georges Ivanoff
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- o You will let me know what, if any, travel plans you will be making over the middle weekend.
- o You will, of course, let me know in advance of your arrival from Boston so that we may meet you at the airport.
- o Again, I'm delighted that you have agreed to pay Ruder & Finn of New York \$6,500 U.S. for our work on your behalf. Further, we are pleased to accept a \$6,500 fee for doing a similar project in California in September (you told me that it looks like September 18 - 24. But you will let me know when the dates are confirmed).
- o Because our out-of-pocket expenses for such things as your hotel reservations, the automobile and the theatre reservations will be high, we will need a sum of money in advance to be deposited to your account in order to defray these costs. When Marvin Frankel returns from Teheran, I will confer with him and will contact you regarding how we can handle the entire money situation.

Again, on behalf of all my colleagues here at R&F, let me express my delight at the prospect of working with you and with what I'm sure will be a very mutually rewarding experience. Please let me know when you're going to schedule your pre-trip to New York so I can make sure to have lots of time available to spend with you.

Very truly yours,


Roger Shelley

RS:tc
c.c. Marvin Frankel